

# **Quick Start Guide**



#### **Cisco Small Business**

## **Cisco Unmanaged Rackmount Switches**

#### **Package Contents**

- Cisco SF 100-16, SF 100-24, SF 102-24, SG 100-16, SG 100-24, or SG 102-24 Unmanaged Rackmount Switch
- Rackmount Kit
- Power Cord
- This Quick Start Guide

## Welcome

Thank you for choosing the Cisco SF 100-16, SF 100-24, SF 102-24, SG 100-16, SG 100-24, or SG 102-24 Unmanaged Rackmount Switch, a Cisco Small Business network communications device.

This guide will familiarize you with the layout of the unmanaged rackmount switch and describe how to deploy the device in your network. For additional information, see www.cisco.com/smb.

## **Network Speed and Auto MDI/MDI-X Detection**

All ports support network speed auto-negotiation and auto MDI/MDI-X crossover detection. Network speed auto-negotiation automatically selects the best connection speed and mode (half- or full-duplex) for communicating with attached devices. Auto MDI/MDI-X crossover detection automatically adjusts for the cable type (straight-through or crossover) used to connect the unmanaged rackmount switch to other devices.

## **Green Energy-Efficient Technology**

SG 100-16, SG 100-24, and SG 102-24 switches support Green Energyefficient Technology that increases energy efficiency and helps businesses to use less energy and save money.

## **Traffic Prioritization**

The unmanaged rackmount switches deliver Quality of Service (QoS); all received packets are examined for QoS priority encoding. The switch reads the priority level and forwards the packet based on that priority level. For example, during heavy loads voice and video traffic are given priority over data traffic. This ensures that time-sensitive traffic gets the highest level of service.

# **Jumbo Frame Support**

SG 100-16, SG 100-24, and SG 102-24 switches support frames up to 9,000 bytes called *jumbo frames*. Jumbo Frame support improves network throughput and reduces CPU utilization during large file transfers, such as multimedia files, by allowing larger payloads in each packet.



# **Installing the Cisco Switch**

There are three ways to physically install the switch:

- Set the switch on a flat surface.
- Mount the switch in a standard rack (1U high).
- Mount the switch on a wall.

Before you install the Unmanaged Rackmount Switch, follow the guidelines in this section.

When you choose a location for the switch, consider the following guidelines:

- Make sure that the switch is accessible and that the cables can be connected easily.
- Keep cabling away from sources of electrical noise, power lines, and fluorescent lighting fixtures.
- Position the switch away from water and moisture sources.
- To ensure adequate air flow around the switch, be sure to provide a minimum clearance of two inches (50 mm).
- Do not stack free-standing switches more than four units high.

Do not deploy the device in a location where any of the following conditions exist:

**High Ambient Temperature**—The ambient temperature must not exceed 104 degrees Fahrenheit (40C).

**Reduced Air Flow**—Both side panels must be unobstructed to prevent overheating.

**Mechanical Overloading**—The device should be level, stable, and secure to avoid it sliding or shifting out of position.

**Circuit Overloading**—Adding the device to the power outlet must not overload that circuit.

### **Rack-Mount Placement**

Follow these steps to rack-mount the switch in any standard 19-inch rack.

- STEP 1 Place the switch on a hard, flat surface with the front panel facing towards you.
- STEP 2 Attach a rack–mount bracket to one side of the switch with the supplied screws and secure the bracket tightly. Repeat this step to attach the other bracket to the opposite side of the switch.
- STEP 3 After the brackets are attached to the switch, use suitable screws to securely attach the brackets to any standard 19-inch rack.



## **Wall Mounting**

A Cisco SF 100-16, SF 100-24, SG 100-16, or SG 102-24 Unmanaged Rackmount Switch can be wall-mounted.

Before you begin, you need 2 wallboard screws (included) to mount the unmanaged rackmount switch. We recommend using screws with a minimum of 4mm width at the head and a shaft diameter of at least 1.5mm.



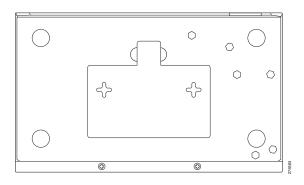
WARNING Insecure mounting might damage the device or cause injury.

Cisco is not responsible for damages incurred by insecure wall-mounting.

To mount the unmanaged rackmount switch to the wall:

- STEP 1 Determine where you want to mount the unmanaged rackmount switch. Verify that the surface is smooth, flat, dry, and sturdy.
- STEP 2 Drill two pilot holes into the surface 3.74 inches (95 mm) apart, and with a minimum of 5.12 inches (130 mm) of clearance.

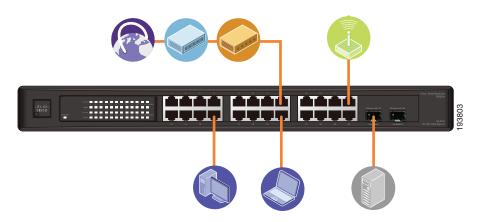
- STEP 3 Insert a screw into each hole, leaving a gap between the surface and the base of the screw head of at least 0.1 inches (3 mm).
- STEP 4 Place the unmanaged rackmount switch wall-mount slots over the screws and slide the unmanaged rackmount switch down until the screws fit snugly into the wall-mount slots.



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# **Connecting Network Devices**

The application diagram is an example of a typical network configuration.



To connect the unmanaged rackmount switch to the network:

- **STEP 1** Connect the Ethernet cable to the Ethernet port of a computer, printer, network storage, or other network device.
- STEP 2 Connect the other end of the network Ethernet cable to one of the numbered unmanaged rackmount switch Ethernet ports.

The LED of the port lights if the device connected is active.



Note If the uplink from one unmanaged, cascaded switch to another is moved from one port to another port, it can take up to five minutes for full network operation to resume. This is normal and expected behavior.

STEP 3 Repeat Step 1 and Step 2 for each device you want to connect to the unmanaged rackmount switch.



To prioritize voice or video traffic by using the QoS feature on the switch, set flow control to off in the configurations of the connected devices. Otherwise, flow control might send a pause frame to the switch, blocking the high-priority QoS packets queued on the port. On some devices, such as some IP phones and IP cameras, flow control might not be configurable.

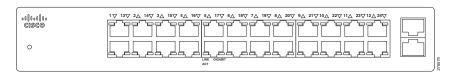
**STEP 4** Connect the power cord to the switch and a power source.

# Features of the Unmanaged Rackmount Switch

This section describes the exterior of the unmanaged rackmount switches that provide non-blocking, wire-speed switching for your network clients.

## **Front Panel Ports**

The ports and LEDs are located on the front panel of the switch.



**RJ-45 Ethernet Ports** —Use these ports to connect network devices, such as computers, printers, and access points, to the switch. The auto-sensing, Ethernet (802.3) ports are used for wired network communications. Each Ethernet port supports network speeds of 10 Mbps, 100 Mbps, or 1000 Mbps.

**MiniGBIC (if present)**—The miniGBIC (gigabit interface converter) ports are connection points for miniGBIC modules, so the unmanaged rackmount switch can uplink to other switches by using optical fiber.

- MiniGBIC ports are compatible with Cisco miniGBIC modules MGBSX1, MGBLH1, MGBT1, MGBLX1, and MGBBX1, as well as other brands of miniGBIC modules.
- MiniGBIC interface is a combination port, shared with one other RJ-45 interface. When the MiniGBIC is active, the closest RJ-45 port is disabled.
- The LEDs on RJ-45 respond to the miniGBIC interface traffic.

## **Front Panel LEDs**

System LED—Lights green when the switch is powered on.

**Link/Act LED**—(Green) Lights when a link between the corresponding port and another device is detected. Flashes when the port is passing traffic.

**100M LED (if present)**—(Green) Lights and remains lit when another device is connected to the port, is powered on, and a 100 Mbps link is established between the devices. When the LED is off, the connection speed is under 100 Mbps or nothing is cabled to the port.

**Gigabit LED (if present)**—Lights and remains lit when another device is connected to the port, is powered on, and a 1000 Mbps link is established between the devices. When the LED is off, the connection speed is under 1000 Mbps or nothing is cabled to the port.

**MiniGBIC (if present)**—Lights green when a connection is made through the shared RJ-45 port. It flashes green when the connection is active.

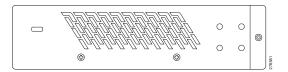
## **Back Panel**

The power port is located on the back panel of the unmanaged rackmount switch.



### **Side Panel**

The Kensington lock is located on the side panel of the unmanaged rackmount switch. (Only the Cisco SF 100-16, SF 100-24, SG 100-16, or SG 102-24 Unmanaged Rackmount Switch has a lock.)



# 4 Specifications

The following tables list the specifications for the unmanaged rackmount switches.

# **Weights and Dimensions**

Model	Weight	Dimensions mm	Dimensions Inch
SF 100-16	1.251 Kg	279.4x44.45x170	11x1.75x6.7
16 RJ-45 10/100 ports	2.758 lbs		
SF 100-24	1.322 Kg	279.4x44.45x170	11x1.75x6.7
24 RJ-45 10/100 ports	2.915 lbs		
SF 102-24	1.995 Kg	440x44.45x202.5	17.35x1.74x7.99
24 RJ-45 10/100 ports,	4.398 lbs		
2 shared Gigabit			
RJ-45/miniGBIC ports			
SG 100-16	1.429 Kg	279.4x44.45x170	11x1.75x6.7
16 RJ-45 10/100/1000 ports	3.150 lbs		
SG 100-24	2.292 Kg	440x44.45x202.5	17.35x1.74x7.99
24 RJ-45 10/100/1000 ports	2.292 lbs		
SG 102-24	1.629 Kg	279.4x44.45x170	11x1.75x6.7
24 RJ-45 10/100/1000 ports,	3.591 lbs		
2 miniGBIC uplinks			

## **Features**

Feature	Description
Standards	IEEE 802.3, 802.3u, 802.3x, 802.3ab, 802.3z, and 802.1p
Cabling Type	Category 5 or better
Physical Security	Kensington security slot on a Cisco SF 100-16, SF 100-24, SG 100-16, or SG 102-24 Unmanaged Rackmount Switch
Power	100V-240V~ 1A 50-60 Hz
Certification	FCC Class A, CE
Operating Temperature	32 to 104°F (0 to 40°C)
Storage Temperature	-4 to 158°F (-20 to 70°C)
Operating Humidity	10% to 90% Relative Humidity, noncondensing
Storage Humidity	10% to 90% Relative Humidity, noncondensing

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# Where to Go From Here

Support		
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Phone Support Contacts	www.cisco.com/en/US/support/tsd_cisco_ small_business_support_center_contacts.html	
Product Documentation		
Cisco Unmanaged Rackmount Switches Quick Start Guide	www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/switches/lan/csbus/sf10x-xx_sg10x-xx/quick_start/guide/78-19225-01.pdf	
Regulatory, Compliance, and Safety Information	www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps10007/ tsd_products_support_series_home.html	
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